

MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

The MS State Department of Health is seeking to fill a Public Health Environmental Officer III. Seasoned professional position accountable for inspecting and investigating major, complex environmental sources, controlling facilities or problems involving multiple waste streams, wastes or emissions having significant potential public health or environmental impact if uncontrolled; enforcing environmental rules and permit conditions; and performing complex assignments often requiring the development of solutions to difficult environmental problems. At this level employees, review and evaluate complex pollution control facility plans, reports, tax credit applications, variance requests, and proposed compliance strategies or other proposals; negotiate conditions; and recommend approval or disapproval. Employees as this level also have project or program responsibility: assist in determining project objectives to contribute to the development of a comprehensive program; contribute to successful project completion by participating in the resolution of issues such as conflicting technical objectives, unsuitability of standard procedures, and difficult coordination requirements; and coordinate project or program development activities with other state agencies, advisory committees, and industry or special interest groups. Employees in this family have significant public interaction.

The Public Health Environmental Officer III- The DIS will perform confidential interviews and prevention counseling to control the spread of sexually transmitted diseases including HIV/AIDS. DIS will be responsible for case/contact interviews, re-interviews, cluster interviews, and pre- and post-test counseling in a respectful and confidential manner. Referrals will be made to county health department clinics and other health providers for HIV diagnosis and linkage to care. The DIS will conduct linkage to care for reengagement and out-of-care PLWH.

Salary Range: \$40,286.40

Location(s): (1) Hinds County

Qualifications: Typically requires a Bachelor's Degree and 3-5 years of experience.

How to Apply: Interested applicants should submit: 1.) Cover letter indicating the location(s) for which he/she is applying; 2.) *State of Mississippi Employment Application* (http://www.mspb.ms.gov/media/6595/application%20word%20template.pdf) and resume to:

The Mississippi State Department of Health Office of Human Resources

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